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- [1](#)B. STATE 151189
- [1](#)C. MADRID 2334
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[1](#)1. (SBU) Poloff delivered reftel A and B demarche points to Spanish EU Correspondent Carlos Fernandez-Arias on September [1](#)13. Fernandez-Arias said that Spain agrees with U.S. positions on Sudan, Bosnia, Congo, and Ukraine. Fernandez-Arias did not anticipate discussion of Kosovo, Macedonia, or Serbia at this GAERC.

[1](#)2. (S/NF) Reftels C and D highlight current Spanish positions on Syria-Lebanon and Iran, respectively.

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